

HRSN Service Provider Learning Collaborative: Maximizing Community Capacity Building Funds (CCBF) for HRSN Service Delivery

March 19, 2025



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Today's Agenda

- 1 | Welcome and introductions**
Overview of the learning collaborative goals and today's learning objectives.
- 2 | CCBF overview and upcoming opportunities**
Learn about what community capacity funds can be used for and how to apply through CCOs.
- 3 | Q&A with OHA**
Participants will have the opportunity to ask the Oregon Health Authority questions.
- 4 | CCBF success stories**
Hear from Meals on Wheels People and NeighborImpact Community Services about how they have used CCBF funds for capacity building.
- 5 | Next steps and upcoming opportunities**
Learn about upcoming HRSN Service Provider Learning Collaborative events.

Why a HRSN Service Provider Learning Collaborative Series?

- Create a space for **peer-to-peer learning** for HRSN service providers.
- An opportunity for **HRSN service providers to learn from each other** and share best practices.
- To complement existing training offerings and engagements (e.g., All Come Webinars, HRSN Provider Trainings, CCO Work Sessions).
- To foster a **community of practice**, strengthening service delivery across HRSN service provider and front-line CCO staff.

Learning Collaboratives Goals

1. Create a supportive space for peer-to-peer sharing and collaboration.
2. Highlight and exchange best practices for implementing HRSN benefits.
3. Explore and address challenges, identifying solutions to overcome them.
4. Assess and identify technical assistance needs for HRSN service providers.

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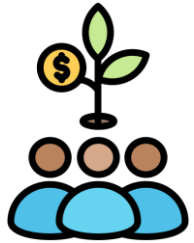
CCBF 2025 Grant Program Overview



What are Community Capacity Building Funds?



HRSN Community Capacity Building Funds (CCBF) are funds to support organizations (e.g., community-based organizations, social service agencies and others) to become [HRSN service providers](#). HRSN CCBF funds are managed through coordinated care organizations (CCOs).

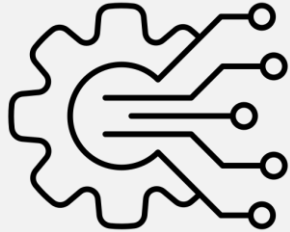


These funds support organizations that intend to become HRSN service providers to develop what they need to participate in the Medicaid delivery system and deliver HRSN services to eligible OHP members. Funds are also available to entities who will support the provision of, but not directly provide, HRSN services (e.g., ‘hub’ or ‘convener’ entities).

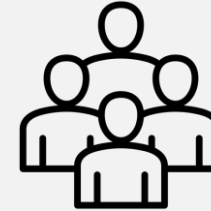


CCOs administer the HRSN CCBF Grant Program—including by reviewing applications and awarding funding. **Applications can be submitted between April – May 30, 2025.** More information is available on [OHA’s CCBF web page](#).

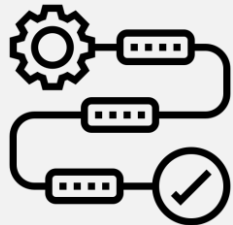
Community Capacity Building Funds: Allowable Uses*



Technology
(e.g., new billing systems)



Workforce Development
(e.g., staff salary up to 18 months and trainings)



Development of Business Practices
(e.g., designing new workflows)



Outreach and Education
(e.g., launching a new learning collaborative)

*The allowable uses for CCBF are detailed in the [HRSN Protocol](#) & CCBF application and approved by CMS

Eligible Entities for Community Capacity Building Funds

The following entities are eligible to apply for and receive HRSN CCBF (examples are not exhaustive)*:

- Community-based organizations (e.g., housing agencies and food and nutrition providers)
- Organizations that provide (or intend to provide) or coordinate HRSN benefits (e.g., case management providers or local governmental agencies)
- Organizations that will support the development of the HRSN network (e.g., an entity that provides administrative, billing, training supports or other supports)

*For more information on eligible entities for CCBF, please see the HRSN Infrastructure Protocol [here](#)

2025 HRSN CCBF Allocation Amounts by CCO

2025 HRSN CCBF CCO allocations are based on an equal base amount and member enrollment forecasts to ensure all CCOs have enough capital to make meaningful investments in HRSN capacity

	2025 Allocations By CCO* (in dollars)
Advanced Health, LLC*	\$2,300,278
AllCare CCO	\$2,903,974
Cascade Health Alliance, LLC	\$1,595,983
Columbia Pacific CCO, LLC	\$1,935,894
Eastern Oregon Coordinated Care Org., LLC*	\$3,532,424
Health Share of Oregon	\$15,402,530
InterCommunity Health Network, Inc.*	\$3,601,581
Jackson County CCO, LLC	\$2,885,362
PacificSource Community Solutions (Central)	\$3,260,088
PacificSource Community Solutions (Gorge)	\$1,271,206
PacificSource Community Solutions (Lane)	\$3,822,083
PacificSource Community Solutions (Marion Polk)	\$5,581,652
Trillium Community Health Plan, Inc. (Southwest)	\$1,902,254
Trillium Community Health Plan, Inc. (Tri-County)	\$2,207,184
Umpqua Health Alliance	\$2,024,611
Yamhill Community Care	\$1,881,203
Total	\$56,108,307

* Total allocation amounts for this CCO include funds that were unable to be fully disbursed in 2024 and that were carried forward into the CCO's 2025 allocation.

Key Dates for 2025 HRSN CCBF Grant Program

2025

- Learn how to become an HRSN provider on [OHA's HRSN Provider web page](#)
- CCO 2025 CCBF websites go live: **March 3**
- Go to the CCO CCBF website for the region you are applying to. Those are listed on [OHA's CCBF web page](#)
- Applications open: **April 1-May 30**
- Submit Application and Budget to CCOs: **By May 30**
- Notices to grantees: **September**
- Grantees will get funds: **September-October**

CCBF Application and Budget Templates

These templates are standard across the state.

Each CCO will have their unique way of accepting or submitting applications and budgets. Make sure to **review the CCO's CCBF grant webpage to learn how to apply.**

- [2025 CCBF Application Template](#)
- [2025 CCBF Budget Template](#)

Important CCBF Resources

[OHAs CCBF Webpage](#)

- 2025 CCBF Application and Budget Templates
- 2025 key dates for applicants
- Frequently Asked Questions (pending translation)

OHA's CCBF specific email address: CCBF.info@oha.oregon.gov

[CCO Contacts for CCBF Grant Program](#)

Questions and answers

Please put your questions into the chat or raise your hand to ask out loud.

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Q&A

Next Steps

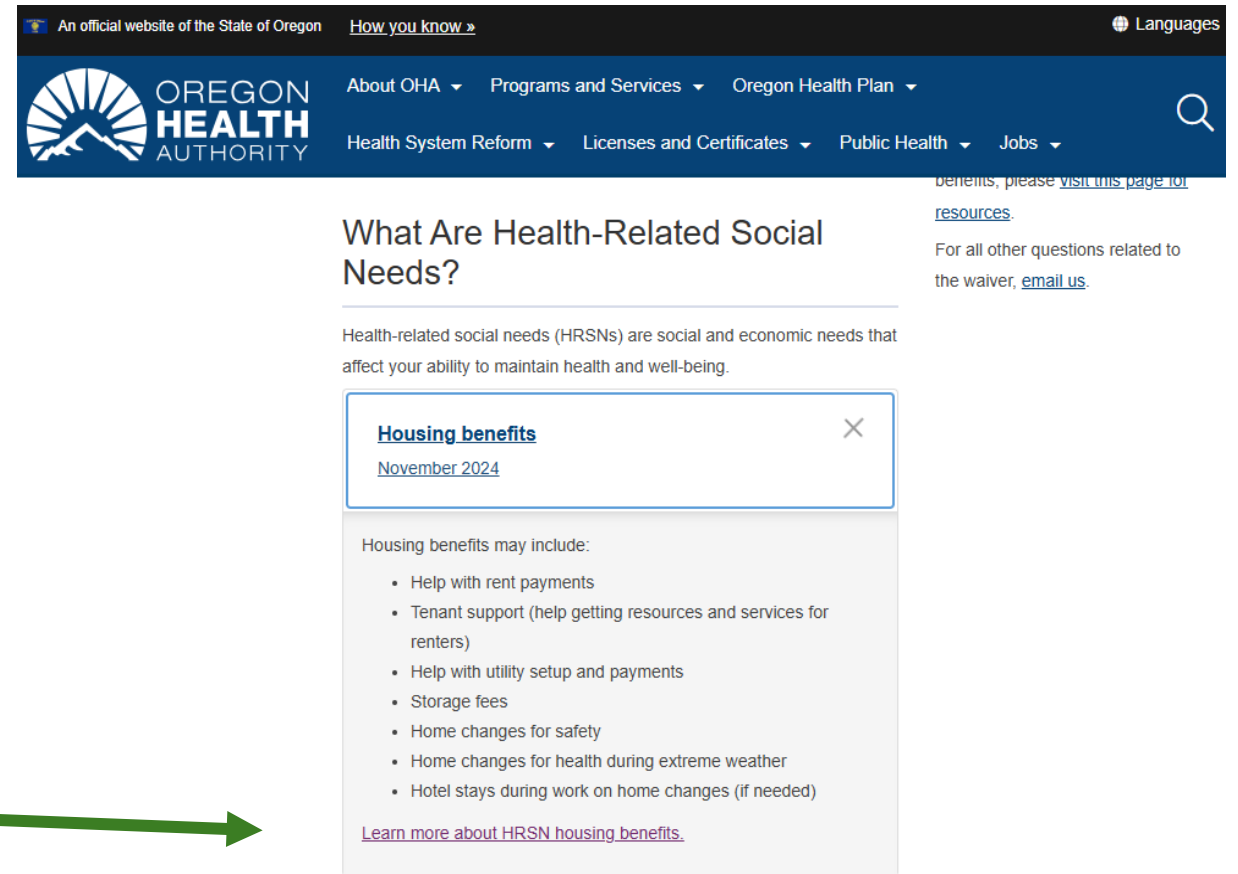


Ready to Enroll as an HRSN service provider?

- **Enroll as an HRSN provider with a CCO, Open Card, or both:**
 - **CCO:** You can [contact the CCO\(s\)](#) in your area to learn how to apply to become a provider for each CCO.
 - **Open Card:** Visit the [Provider Enrollment webpage](#) to get started. We recommend viewing the [HRSN provider enrollment training materials](#).
- **Bookmark OHA's HRSN resources**
 - These pages get updated frequently with new HRSN resources and materials:
 - [1115 Waiver HRSN Webpage](#)
 - [HRSN Service Provider Webpage](#)
 - [HRSN Provider Training Webpage](#)

HRSN Webpage Update

- To align with the waiver, there have been updates to the main HRSN [web page](#).
- Housing benefits include home changes for health during extreme weather.
- Eligibility and services are not changing.



The screenshot shows the Oregon Health Authority website. The header includes the logo and navigation menu. The main content area features a section titled "What Are Health-Related Social Needs?" with a definition of HRSNs. A new "Housing benefits" section is highlighted with a green arrow, listing various types of assistance such as rent help, tenant support, utility setup, and home safety changes.

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What Are Health-Related Social Needs?

Health-related social needs (HRSNs) are social and economic needs that affect your ability to maintain health and well-being.

Housing benefits ✕

[November 2024](#)

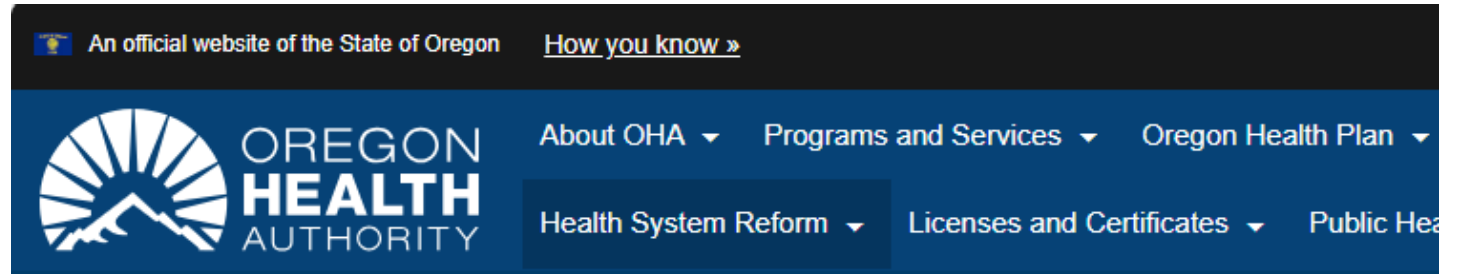
Housing benefits may include:

- Help with rent payments
- Tenant support (help getting resources and services for renters)
- Help with utility setup and payments
- Storage fees
- Home changes for safety
- Home changes for health during extreme weather
- Hotel stays during work on home changes (if needed)

[Learn more about HRSN housing benefits.](#)

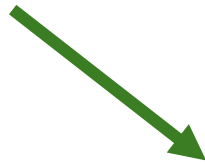
HRSN Webpage Update: Housing

Updates to the HRSN housing [web page](#)



What Are HRSN Housing Benefits?

- This link will take you to the web page for air conditioners, air filters and other home changes for health devices



- Help paying rent for up to six months. This includes late payments.
- Help paying for utilities like gas, electric and water. This includes setup and late payments.
- Up to six months of storage fees.
- Tenancy support – help understanding your lease, speaking with your landlord and referrals to other services.
- Home changes for safety – pest control, heavy duty cleaning, and installation of ramps, grab bars, and drawer pulls.
- [Home changes for health during extreme weather](#) – air conditioners, heaters, air filters, mini fridges and portable power supplies.

Where we are

Health-Related Social Needs (HRSN) services available now

March 2024

Home changes for health, such as air conditioners, air filters, and more

Outreach & engagement services

November 2024

Housing Benefits: rental assistance, home changes for safety, and tenancy services

Expanded outreach & engagement services

January 2025

Nutrition Benefits: nutrition education and medically tailored meals

Young adults with special healthcare needs (YSHCN) eligible for HRSN

2026-2027:

Seeking to launch more benefits and make programmatic improvements (e.g., Fruit and Vegetable benefit). Currently evaluating programs and considering updates and timelines. More details to come.

Upcoming Opportunities

★ Register in Advance for HRSN Service Provider TA Learning Collaborative Series:

- [HRSN Service Provider TA Learning Collaborative 4/16](#)
- [HRSN Service Provider TA Learning Collaborative 4/30](#)
- [HRSN Service Provider TA Learning Collaborative 5/19](#)
- [HRSN Service Provider TA Learning Collaborative 6/18](#)

★ **Previous HRSN provider trainings**, are available on the [HRSN Provider Training webpage](#).



Evaluation Poll

We value your feedback so we can continue to improve these HRSN Service Provider TA offerings!

